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RE: RRG Clayton Chemical Site (Soil Removal), Sauget, Illinois

Dear Mr. Turner:

On behalf of Lastra America Corporation, we are writing to acknowledge receipt of your letter dated September 27, 2005. Lastra America Corporation is investigating the allegations in your letter, but has not yet been able to confirm any nexus between its operations and the RRG Clayton Chemical site.

Sincerely,

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